

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INVESTIGATION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS)	
SERVICES BY AMERICALL DIAL-O)	CASE NO.
SERVICES, INC., ALLEGED VIOLATIONS)	90-001
OF KRS CHAPTER 278)	

O R D E R

On May 25, 1990, the Commission issued a final Order in this proceeding finding that AmeriCall Dial-O Services, Inc. ("Dial-O") had violated Commission statutes, specifically KRS 278.160, by failing to have filed schedules with the Commission. The Commission found that Dial-O should be assessed a penalty of \$500 per offense and that there were 293 offenses. Dial-O petitioned for rehearing on the issue of whether the fine was excessive. The Commission conducted a hearing on September 5, 1990. Dial-O's evidence and arguments focused on the impact of the fine on the utility and the reasonableness of the fine compared with fines assessed by the Commission to other utilities.

The Commission, having reconsidered the reasonableness of the fine assessed against Dial-O and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the fine be reduced to \$100 per offense for a total of \$29,300. Dial-O shall pay this amount within 30 days of the date of this Order payable to the Commonwealth of Kentucky Treasurer and mailed to Public Service

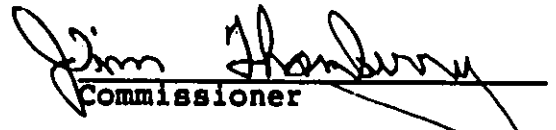
Commission, Office of General Counsel, 730 Schenkel Lane, P. O.
Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 1st day of July, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director